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We're selling your choice of twenty-five pieces Lansdown Velvet Carpets at this unheard of price for Velvet Carpet. They're not going to be here long. Come if interested.

At these two prices your selection of over one hundred styles of strictly All-Wool Carpets.

Secures your choice of 225 styles of Roxbury, Stinson and Smith's extra Tapestry Brussels Carpets.

Any grade of Carpeting here for your selection from 10c to \$2 50 yard.

SILKS.

There's a stock of Silks here that we invite your attention to that is not usually seen in a city of this size. Customers tell us there's more Silk here than any two other stores in the city. It's desirable Silks that we invite you to see, at lower prices than you can get like qualities for elsewhere.

> Figured Taffeta Silks 39c, 49c, 59c, 68c up. Black Damas Silk 68c, 75c up. Wash Silks 15c, 19c, 25c.

All 85c, \$1 00, \$1 25 Figured Taffeta Silks at 68c. Goods cheerfully shown and samples given for comparison.

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SPRING DRESS GOODS-GEO. M. SNOOK & CO.



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Have just come in. They consist of this season's most fashionable creations. Rapid

Grand Novelties in Stylish Mixtures 39c yard. Better at 50c and up.

Novelty Grey All-Wool and Silk-and-Wool Mixtures, quiet but elegant. Not everybody's taste, but indispensable to some dressers, 60c to \$1.50 yard. More new Black Dress Goods. Two specially good things;

Extra Choice Black Figured Mohair 58c yard. Plain Black Mohair Sicillian, 52 inches wide, 48c yard.

Fully 500 pieces Black Goods to pick from here.

Do not fail to note the low prices on Black Silks in Main street window. Sorry that we cannot withdraw them from sale, or mark them up to help out some of our competitors.

Geo. M. Snook & Co.



Sweaters.

48c For Men's Nice Sweaters, colors Navy, Tan, Maroon and Black.

98c For Men's New Style Lace Front Sweaters, with sailor collars; colors Navy and Ma-

1320 & 1322

SHOES-J. H. LOCKE SHOE COMPANY.



STACY ADAMS & CO.

Stand at the top of the ladder, no matter how mulify the wheels of progress turn. This cut shows one style, we have others, all up to the day.

CORRECT STYLES! RIGHT PRICES!

Men's Finest Vici Kid, tan colors, all \$5 Men's Best Patent Leather, hand \$5 Men's Best Call Shoes, hand - - \$4

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If the lines in this diamond figure do not sppear equally black in all the different meridians, it indicates a defect of sight that causes nervous head ache and should be corrected at once. Eyes tested free.

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The Intelligencer

New Advertisements.

Health Officer's Quarterly Report.
More Spring Dress Goots—Geo. M.
nook & Co. — Eighth page.
Hacy, Adams & Co.'s Shoes—J. H.
ocke Shoe Company, Eighth page.
Bicycles—House & Herrmann—Fifth
age.

Lost—B. & O. Mileage Book.
After House Cleaning—John Becker &
Co.—Second page.
Stockholders Meeting.
Wanted—Girl for Housework.
Stocks for Sale—R. S. Irwin.
Commisioner's Sale of Real Estate.

SPRING OPENING OF C. HESS & SONS.

All the newest nevelties, consisting of nitings, Trouserings and Overcoatings, low in stock.

now in stock.

Stylish make-up, first-class workman-skylish and first towest prices.

In our Farnish Department we are offering special bargains in Underwear, 25c Hose and Fancy C, HESS & SONS, Fashtonable Tailors and Genis Furnish-ers, 1331 and 1333 Market Street.



JACOB W. GRUBB

Mr. W. F. Butler received yesterday the news of his father's death, which occurred at Richmond, Virginia, at the advanced age of eighty-six years. Mr. Bates Butler left via the Baltimore & Ohlo, for Richmond yesterday, after-noon to attend the funeral.

Masons' New Quarters.

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The Martin's Ferry Masons have a force of workmen at work fitting up new quarters in the Commercial block and when finished they will include the hall formerly occupied by the Knights of Pythias and the Commercial hall, together with paraphernalla room, anteroom, preparation room, kitchen, etc. The hall will secommodate two hundred and fifty persons. The new home of the Masons will be equipped in the most modern manner. The location is very desirable.

A special dispatch from Zanesville, Ohio, printed below, will be interesting to some Wheeling people: Judge Ford decided to-day that where an account had been unequivocally sold outside the state that the selier could not be prosecuted, and he discharged Thomas Carey, a groceryman, who sold an account to a Wheeling man against an employe of the Baltimore & Ohio Railroad Company, and whose wages were attached in West Virginia. The railroad employes have made a hard fight to have the law include the sale of accounts.

Chicken Thief Arrested.

About six weeks ago the chicken coop of John Kyne, a saloon-keeper of Martin's Ferry, was robbed of three valuable game chickens worth about \$3 a piece. The robbery was traced to Garrison Wilson, who lives at Elm Grove, and shortly after the robbery he was arrested in this city and taken before Justice Arkle. He was held for ten days, and none of the Ohio officers appearing with a requisition, he was released. Afterwards a requisition was obtained and yesterday afternoon Officer Bero re-arrested Wilson in a South Side saloon and lodged him in the lock-up. Later he was taken to Martin's Ferry by officers of that town.

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The following transfers in real estate were admitted to record in Clerk Hook's office yesterday;

Deed made April 10, 1894, by R. B. Criswell and wife to R. L. Criswell, for a portion of what is known as the "Greenlee Farm," containing 10,63 acres, for \$2,350.

Deed made January 23, 1896, by the Stone Church Cemetery Association to W. R. Dewitt, for iot No. 84 in said cemetery, for \$12 12.

Deed made April 6, 1896, by Sarah E. Gardner and husband to Thomas Leyland, for a parcel of tand in Triadelphia district, containing two acres, for \$700.

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James McGrew, of Columbus, is in Martin's Ferry taking depositions in relation to the estate of John Swim, an eccentric character who died near Columbus about a year ago, aged 103, years. He was wealthy, his estate being estimated at at least \$200,000, and now the heirs are quarrelling over it. Swim resided in Martin's Ferry as far back as 1828. He dressed very shabbily and in bidding for a farm years ago was taken for a tramp by the sheriff, who asked him if he had any money. He was the highest bidder, got the farm and naid far it with money carried in his boots Mr. McGrew goes to Smithfield from Martin's Ferry.

CURES, absolute, permanent cures have given Hood's Sarsaparilla the largest sales in the world and the first place among medicines.

SEATS for the Entertainment for the benefit of the Home for the Aged, Al-tenheim, can be reserved at House's music store, Friday morning, at 8

YOU'LI, save a deal of mending if you use "Leathern" Bias Leather Skirt Binding. It werns like fron and holds skirt in shape. For sale at THE LEADER. 1120 Main street.

DO not fail to hear Blind Boone, who has been called the Black Paderewski, at the Opera House Saturday evening, See advertisement.

ON Friday evening, April 10, Harry Joyce will open his new saloon, No. 1417 Market affect, where he hopes to see all his old friends and many new ones. The Opera House band will be on hand and discourse popular music.

A HIGH liver with a torpid liver will not be a long liver. Correct the liver with DeWitt's Little Early Risers, little pills that cure dyspepsia and constipation. Logan & Co., Wheeling, W. Va., B. F. Peabody, Benwood and Bowle & Co., Bridgeport, O.

All pain banished by Dr. Miles' Pain Pills.

WHEELING and suburban towns can talk by long distance telephone with cities and towns in nineteen New England, Middle, Western and Southern states. Why go away from home? Go to the office of the Central District Printing & Telephone Company and transact your business by telephone,

A FOOD SHOW

To be Given in Wheeling Under the Auspices of Grocers.

THE PROMOTER OF THE SCHEME

Was in the City Yesterday Arranging for the Show, which will Open on May T and Continue Ten Days-Arion Hall will Probably be secured-Wheeling Lastles to Act as Patronesses-Plan of the Ex position Described in Detail.

Wheeling is to have her first Pure Food Exposition next month.

Yesterday afternoon Mr. F. L. Ma-guire, of Chicago, who has conducted numerous pure food expositions in cities all over the country, from Boston to San Francisco, arrived in the city, to fill an engagement with the Wheel-ing Retail Grocers' Association. His mission was to interest the association in a pure food exposition, lasting ten in a pure food exposition, lasting ten days, to be given here in May. The association took hold enthusiastically, and the exposition is to be opened on May 7, and continue ten days, closing on the 18th. Mr. Maguire was looking at several halls about town but only two, Odd Fellows' hall and the Arion hall, seemed at all suitable. Later in the day he secured an option on the Arion hall and will probably close a deal for its use before the end of the week.

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Mr. Maguire is at present conducting the pure food exposition at Pittaburgh, which lasts one month, and which a delegation of fifty Wheeling retail and wholesale grocers will visit next week as guests of the association of Pittaburgh grocers. He will invite the manufacturers of all food products to take space at the Wheeling exposition. This they will do without a doubt, as it is their policy to encourage such expositions. At the Wheeling show, too, it is probable that the several Wheeling firms that are engaged in the manufacture of such goods will exhibit.

The hall will be cut up into booths and these will be tastefully decorated with bunting, etc. The various foods will exhibit. The hall will be cut up into booths will be cooked and placed before the general public for trial. Samples will be cooked and placed before the general public for trial. Samples will also be given to all who attend the show. Every afternoon and evening there will be band concerts, for which the Opera House band will probably be engaged by the management of the exposition.

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Whether on pleasure bent, or business, take on every trip a bottle of Syrup of Figs, as it acts most pleasantly and effectually on the kidneys, liver, and bowels, preventing fevers, headaches, and other forms of sickness. For sale in 50 cent and 31 bottles by all leading druggists. Manufactured by the Callfornia Fig Syrup Company only.

ALL should hear Miss Stella May (with the Blind Boone Concert Co.) sing planta-tion melodies at the Opera House Satur-day evening and matinee. See advertise-nicat.

"Leah, the Forsaken," to-night at the Opera House. Admission to lower floor 50 cents; gallery 25 cents.

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THE grand opening at Louis Becker's place, 3502 Chapline street, will occur to-day, morning, afternoon and night. He takes pleasure in inviting his friends to attend.

NEVER was such high class of baked goods offered in the city as you will constantly find for sale in the Wheeling Bakery's retail store. The Bakery takes great pride in placing before the public the great diversity of their product. You will find an endless variety of crackers from the old army hardtack to the recently perfected matchless cream puff. The wonderful scope in the cake department is scarcely less marked, including everything from the favorite lincheon of our country customers, the ginger bread, to the luxurious diet of those of a higher sphere, the angel's food. A continual display of fine breads and rolls in the show windows tempts the appetite of the most fastidious. In the manifacture of fine breads the Wheeling Bakery is disputing the first bonors with the great bakeries of our great cities. Such popular favoriter as "Sweet Home," "Qualter." "Jubilies." "Vienna" and "Electric" have never been excelled and may always be had in all their perfect excellence in our retail store. To give our many patrons the best that is possible to produce is the constant ambittion of the bakery. For the benefit of the early market people the store room will be opened on market mornings at 5250 o'clock, that all may have the opportunity to purchase warm bread and rolls for breakfast.

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PROF. SHEFF'S classes will relieve and in many cases cure nervous head-ache. Consultation and examination free at 1110 Main street.

HARRY JOYCE will open his new saloon at No. 1417 Market street on Friday evening. April 10. The full Opera House band will be present and enliven the occasion with its seductive strains. Everybody will be welcome.

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ONE Mintue Cough Cure touches the right spot. It also touches it at the right time if you take it when you have a cough or cold. See the point? Then don't cough. Logan & Co., Wheeling, W. Va., B. F. Peabody, Benwood, and Bowie & Co., Bridgeport. O.

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Is making an impression. Everybody is glad that there is one store that eschews the Cheap. Trusting to quality and not price-marks. Out of this policy has grown the better store. Out of your approval of it has grown the greater business.

Figures are frail reeds. Lean on them alone and you'll sink in the mire of dissatisfaction. We quote the lower for worth, always have, always will. Our buying power dictates terms, absorbs opportunity, attracts quality, QUALITY—that's the foundation; that's our stock in trade. The prosperity of the present throws its strong light down the avenues of time, revealing a future of greater success. We'll keep on as we're growing—we'n on the right track.

Men's Suits.

Where to begin is thoughtful food. Where does quality begin? That's our starting point. It's \$10 most everywhere—so it's \$8 with us—all wool fabrics—careful making and perfect fitting. \$10 and \$10.98—we are selling lots of these \$10 and \$10.98 Suits this season. They must be exceptional values. There are thirty-five styles to be suited from. The work in these suits is not put this the \$15 grade even by the average manufacturer, but he doesn't care—we do. We could rest on the laurels in our \$15 grade and still be leaders. There's \$20 worth in every suit in it. We were ploughing for opportunity and struck a lead—found we could do better than we thought we could—kept on till here we are—\$15 for the everywhere else\$20. Judge when you see them.

Boys Clothing.

Anything good enough for a boy. Will you take that attitude towards your boy and so cut him off from one of the manliest of virtues—personal pride, not conceit? If honest and fine conversation is good for him. honest and fine conversation is good for him, why not nice, tasty and honest clothes? Does he not at his young and eager age absorb the character of the surroundings more than he will ever again in this life? Shall we sur-round him with honest and stylish clothes?—we will help you by selling good clothes cheaper than anybody else-any style, any size, any price—

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We can sell you a BICYCLE that cannot be equaled in quality or price in the state. Every Wheel guaranteed.

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